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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant(s) : Herbert HESS et al.)
Application No.: 08/725,023)
Filed : October 2, 1996)
For : FORM FOR MANUFACTURING)
CONCRETE FORM COMPONENTS)
BY MACHINE)
Attorney Docket: ESL0T 0228)

PRELIMINARY
AMENDMENT

January 7, 1997

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Attention: Application Branch

Sir:

Prior to the examination of this application, please amend the claims as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 10, lines 2 and 3, change "one of the preceding claims" to -- Claim 1 --.

R E M A R K S

The above amendment has been made to eliminate the multiple claim dependency.

Respectfully submitted,

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